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## MEDIA BUREAU ANNOUNCES COMMENT AND REPLY COMMENT DATES FOR THE SECOND FURTHER NOTICE REGARDING THE COMMISSION'S CABLE HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL OWNERSHIP LIMITS

**Comment Date: July 8, 2005**

**Reply Comment Date: July 25, 2005**

On May 13, 2005, the Commission adopted a Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (*Second Further Notice*) in this proceeding, requesting additional comment on the Commission's 30% cable subscriber (horizontal) ownership limit and 40% channel occupancy (vertical) limit.<sup>1</sup> The *Second Further Notice* set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 45 days after publication of the *Second Further Notice* in the Federal Register.

On June 8, 2005, a summary of the *Second Further Notice* was published in the Federal Register.<sup>2</sup> Accordingly, comments must be filed on or before July 8, 2005; and reply comments must be filed on or before July 25, 2005. Commenters should follow the filing instructions provided in paragraph 164 of the *Second Further Notice*. The *Second Further Notice* is available at: [http://www.fcc.gov/Daily\\_Releases/Daily\\_Digest/2005/dd050517.html](http://www.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Digest/2005/dd050517.html).

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By the Chief, Media Bureau

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of the Commission's Cable Horizontal and Vertical Ownership Limits, Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking ("Second Further Notice")*, FCC 05-96, \_\_\_ FCC Rcd \_\_\_ (rel. May 17, 2005). These limits were reversed and remanded in *Time Warner Entertainment Co. v. FCC*, 240 F.3d 1126 (D.C. Cir. 2001).

<sup>2</sup> 70 FR 33680.